

I am amazed that the public is even allowed to voice their comments on this issue and hope that many do so before it is too late. I for one do not feel that the close quarters of an airplane need to be squeezed any tighter with the addition of cell phone usage. We removed the in-flight smoking band for our physical health, how about keeping the cell phones off for our mental health? People got used to waiting for their smokes, the cell phone users can wait until they are on the ground and in the terminal to talk to whomever they feel is so important that it cannot wait. The vast and increasing ownership of cell phones will only exacerbate what so many people find a stressful situation...flying. The lines, the waiting, the security checks, the lines, other irritated customers and workers, the lines, the fear of flying (not me but many do), the tight quarters, the crying babies, offensive body odors and soon we may top it all off with annoying, loud speaking cell phone users talking about..?..how annoyed they are with the situation of flying!